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Application No.: 09/856,904) Examiner: C.L. Anderson
Filed: August 29, 2001) Confirmation No.: 5309
For: AN ABSORBENT ARTICLE HAVING)
A MATERIAL LAMINATE THAT)
COMPRISSES A LIQUID)
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 14, 2004, having a three-month shortened statutory response period and for which three additional months have been petitioned], please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the claim summary which begins on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page six of this paper.